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Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects

Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

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1. At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 15 September 2017, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its seventy-second session the item entitled "Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects" and to allocate it to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee).

2. The Fourth Committee considered the item at its 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th meetings, from 25 to 27 and on 30 October 2017. Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary records.[1]

3. At the 17th meeting, on 25 October, the Assistant Secretary-General for Rule of Law and Security Institutions in the Department of Peacekeeping Operations and the Under-Secretary-General for Field Support made statements.

4. At its 20th meeting, on 30 October, the Committee held a closed interactive dialogue on the item with the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations and the Under-Secretary-General for Field Support, in the course of which the two Under-Secretaries-General heard comments and responded to questions from Member States.

[1] A/C.4/72/SR.17, A/C.4/72/SR.18, A/C.4/72/SR.19 and A/C.4/72/SR.20.

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